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THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : There are two bridges across the Cauvery and Government did not feel that there was any need for a third bridge in-between the two.

MR. CHAIRMAN : Questions are over.

[*Note.*—An asterisk (*) at the commencement of a speech indicates revision by the Member.]

II.—ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE HON. CHAIRMAN.

(1) MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

MR. CHAIRMAN : I have to announce to the House that I have received the following message, from the Governor of Madras, dated the 15th February 1958 :—

"In pursuance of Article 207, clause (3), of the Constitution of India, I, Bishnuram Medhi, Governor of Madras, hereby recommend to the Madras Legislative Council the consideration of the Madras Appropriation Bill, 1958."

(2) MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY.

MR. CHAIRMAN : I have also to announce to the House that I have received the following messages, dated the 14th February 1958, from the Hon. Speaker, Madras Legislative Assembly :—

"(1) In accordance with rule 138 of the Madras Assembly Rules, I transmit a copy of the motion passed to-day by the Madras Legislative Assembly, desiring to obtain the concurrence of the Council in setting up a Joint Select Committee of the two Houses to consider the Madras Cultivating Tenants Protection and Payment of Fair Rent (Amendment) Bill, 1958 (L.A. Bill No. 1 of 1958).

Motion.

That the concurrence of the Legislative Council be obtained for setting up a Joint Select Committee of both the Houses consisting of 24 Members (16 Members from the Assembly and 8 Members from the Council) to consider the Madras Cultivating Tenants Protection and Payment of Fair Rent (Amendment) Bill, 1958 (L.A. Bill No. 1 of 1958) and that the following Members of this House be selected to serve on such a Joint Select Committee :—

1 The Hon. Sri. C. Subramaniam.
2 ,, M. A. Manickavelu.
3 Sri P. G. Karuthiruman.
4 ,, S. Lazar.
5 ,, G. Annamalai Muthuraja.

6 Sri V. Muthiah.
7 ,, T. V. Sannasi.
8 Srimathi Ananthanayaki.
9 Sri R. Srinivasa Iyer.
10 ,, G. Narayanaswami Naidu.
11 ,, T. Sampath.
12 ,, S. R. Munuswami.
13 ,, S. M. Annamalai.
14 ,, M. Kalyanasundaram.
15 ,, T. L. Sasivarna Thevar.
16 ,, Sri A. R. Marimuthu."

"(2) In accordance with rule 138 of the Madras Assembly Rules, I transmit a copy of the motion passed by the Madras Legislative Assembly, desiring to obtain the concurrence of the Council in setting up a Joint Select Committee of the two Houses to consider the Madras Prohibition (Amendment) Bill, 1958 (L.A. Bill No. 2 of 1958).

Motion.

That the concurrence of the Legislative Council be obtained for setting up a Joint Select Committee of both the Houses consisting of 24 Members (16 Members from the Assembly and 8 Members from the Council) to consider the Madras Prohibition (Amendment) Bill, 1958 (L.A. Bill No. 2 of 1958) and that the following Members of this House be selected to serve on such a Joint Select Committee :—

1 The Hon. Sri M. Bhaktavatsalam.
2 Sri P. G. Karuthiruman.
3 Srimathi P. K. R. Lakshmikantham.
4 Sri Gomathi Sankara Dikshidar.
5 ,, K. Vinayakam.
6 ,, A. A. Rasheed.
7 ,, Alagiriswamy.
8 ,, A. Chidambaranatha Nadar.
9 ,, R. Kandasami.
10 ,, A. Vedarathnam Pillai.
11 ,, M. Selvaraj.
12 ,, N. K. Palanisami.
13 ,, M. Jagannathan.
14 ,, S. A. M. Annamalai.
15 ,, P. S. Chinnadurai.
16 ,, D. S. Audimoolam."

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I have further to announce that I have received the following message, dated the 15th February 1958, from the Hon. Speaker, Madras Legislative Assembly :—

(1) In accordance with rule 114 of the Madras Assembly Rules, I transmit a copy of the Madras Appropriation Bill, 1958 (L.A. Bill No. 3 1958), as passed by the Legislative Assembly on the 15th February 1958 and signed by me, for the recommendations of the Council.

I certify that this is a Money Bill within the meaning of Article 199 of the Constitution of India.

(2) In accordance with rule 114 of the Madras Assembly Rules, I transmit a copy of the Madras Bhoodan Yagna Bill, 1957 (L.A. Bill No. 15 of 1957), as passed by the Assembly on the 15th February 1958 and signed by me, for the concurrence of the Council.

(3) NOMINATION OF MEMBERS TO THE BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT ASSURANCES

MR. CHAIRMAN : I have to announce to the House that under rules 164 (1) and 173 (1) respectively of the Madras Council Rules, I have nominated the following Members of the Business Advisory Committee and the Committee on Government Assurances of the Council to be the Members of those Committees for one year with effect from 15th February 1958 :—

Business Advisory Committee—

1 Hon. Chairman (*Chairman*).
2 Hon. Sri R. Venkataraman.
3 Dr. A. Lakshmanaswami Mudaliar.
4 Sri T. M. Narayanaswamy Pillai.
5 ,, Mohamed Raza Khan.
6 ,, T. Purushotham.
7 Dr. T. V. Sivanandam.
8 Sri V. S. Balasundaram.
9 Srimathi Jothi Vencatachellum.

Committee on Government Assurances—

1 Dr. A. Lakshmanaswami Mudaliar.
2 Sri K. Balasubramania Ayyar.
3 ,, V. V. Ramaswami.
4 ,, S. P. Sivasubramania Nadar.
5 ,, S. N. Venugopal.

Under rule 174 (1), I have nominated Dr. A. Lakshmanaswami Mudaliar to be the Chairman of the Committee on Government Assurances.